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## MIRROR TAKES THE FIRST GAME

The Mirror's Canadian Nationals copied off the opening game at Edmonton in the "Little World's Series" on Tuesday evening, when they forced the Outlaws to swallow a bitter pill, the said pill being a 3 to 0 score.

"Tiny" Turner, backed by grand support from the balance of the team, turned in a nice brand of pitching, and was by long odds the best on the diamond.

The box score from The Edmonton Bulletin, contains the following particulars:

|                 |               |
|-----------------|---------------|
| Edmonton        | AT R H PO A E |
| McLaren         | 4 0 0 0 0     |
| Starky, 3rd     | 3 0 0 2 2     |
| Henderson, 1st  | 4 0 12 1 0    |
| Forman, rf, 1st | 4 0 2 2 0     |
| Forrest, lf     | 4 0 1 0 0     |
| Hamilton, ss    | 4 0 1 5 0     |
| Sibbels, 2nd    | 4 0 2 1 0     |
| Scott, c        | 4 0 5 1 0     |
| Osland, p       | 3 0 0 1 0     |
| x Johnson, 3b   | 1 0 0 0 0     |
| xx Dodge, rf    | 0 0 0 0 0     |

xx Replaced Forman in last of eighth inning when Forman took Henderson's position.

xx Starky out of game in fifth, replaced by Johnson.

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| Edmonton | 000 030 000-0 |
| Mirror   | 000 030 000-8 |

Summary: Two-base hits—Enright, Forman, Ryan, Turner, Bag. Three-base hits—Bosby. Stolen bases—Hamilton. Sacrifice hits—Osland, Ryan, 1st. Double plays—Hamilton, unassisted; Henderson to Hamilton. First base on balls—Off Osland 2; off Turner 1. Struck out—By Turner 1b; by Osland 1. Left on bases—Outlaws 9; Mirror 7. Time—1:40. Umpire—McLellan.

In the first game played this (Wednesday) afternoon, Edmonton reversed the decision and won 7 to 0.

## Lamerton M.D. 398 Minutes

The council of the Lamerton Municipal District, No. 398, met at the secretary's office, Alx, Saturday, August 9th, at 1 p.m.

All the members of council were present, D. M. Jewell, vice in the chair.

The minutes of the previous meeting held July 4th, were read and approved of on motion by Councillor Olsen.

J. E. Guss met the council in regard to road revision, 10-39-82-4, and also in regard to the overflow of water over road from spring and after discussion the chair appointed the following committee to investigate and report back to the council, viz, Councillors McDonald, Olsen and Tallman.

On motion of Councillor Olsen, the application of Mr. Fawcett for a restaurant license at Nevis was approved of.

A petition from the residents of Alx and vicinity was brought before the council in regard to the dangerous railroad crossing between S.W. 14 and N.W. of 11-39-23-4, and asking the council to take steps to have a subway built at that point, and the secretary was instructed to write the superintendent of the Canadian National Railways at Edmonton in regard to the matter.

A number of accounts were passed for payment on motion by Councillor Olsen.

Mr. Sherman moved the adjournment of the meeting at 4:30 p.m.

R. G. Lowe, Sec. Treas.

## Card of Thanks

We wish to convey to the many friends, our thanks and appreciation for their kindness and sympathy in our recent bereavement.

D. W. and Mrs. Mathers.

## C. B. OF R. E. FORM DIVISION

C. H. Minchin, of Calgary, vice president of Western Region, Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees, was in Mirror last week and organized a division of that Brotherhood here.

At a special meeting held Saturday evening, August 16th, at 8 o'clock, the following officers were elected for the balance of the current year:

First President, E. B. Martin; Vice President, J. P. Webster; Fin. Secretary, W. G. E. Fisk; Rec. Secretary, A. W. Groves; Warden, D. W. Jewell; Outside Guard, J. Constable; Inside Guard, F. Phelps; Chairman Local Grievance Committee, W. D. Jacobs; Local Grievance Committee, E. Durrant, J. P. Webster, W. G. E. Fisk, E. W. Aylesworth.

It was also decided that the regular meetings of this division shall be held on the second Wednesday of each month at 8 p.m.

The officers and members of this Division hope to have things running smoothly very soon and invite all employees covered by C. B. of R. E. schedule who are not already enrolled, to apply either to the president or recording secretary for application forms.

## Surprise Party

The home of Mr. and Mrs. W. McCormack was the scene of a surprise party on Friday evening of last week, when about sixty friends gathered at a farewell to the host and hostess.

A very pleasant time was spent in whilst, the first prizes being won by Mrs. W. C. McCormack and Earl McCormack, and the consolation prizes going to Mrs. R. Conway and Mrs. L. L. Ray.

A short but appropriate speech, Mrs. John Kehoe expressed the good wishes of the company for Mr. and Mrs. McCormack, on the eve of their proposed motor trip to the Eastern States, and also presented them with a silver salt fork. The recipients were taken completely by surprise, not only by the visit of their friends, but also by the presentation, but both, in very neat speeches, replied briefly, thanking the donors for their good wishes and gift.

A sumptuous lunch was served during the evening.

## Good Barn Dance

One of the best barn dances ever held in this part of the country was given by Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bowly at the farm on Friday evening of last week. A general invitation was extended to the neighborhood and some ninety persons availed themselves of the opportunity to enjoy a real old-time dance. While many of the dances were old-time, yet there enough of the new-time to satisfy everybody. Some very fine music was furnished by a four-piece orchestra from Stettin, the musicians being Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Gelliburn, Harry Watson and Robert Cameron. George Jackson, of Mirror, was floor-manager, and he handled the affair to the satisfaction of everybody. The music was excellent, the floor was fine, and the crowd was out for a good time—what more could you ask for?

## Mirror Union Church

AUGUST 24TH, 1924.

"Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil." Eph. 6:11.

Pastor, Albert E. Might.

Phone 22.

11 a.m. Sunday School. 7:30 o'clock. Evening Service. Subject, "Hitherto and Henceforth." Farewell sermon by the Pastor.

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Church. Farewell sermon by the Minister.

The same schedule will be followed by the incoming minister. All appointments will be served in order, first and third Sundays for Lakehead and Hinkley at 11 a.m. and 2:30 p.

m. respectively: Mirror Union S.S. and Ripley on the second and fourth Sundays at 11 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. respectively, with every Sunday evening service at Mirror. As yet a definite successor has not been appointed, but will be announced probably next week.



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## ACUTE SHORTAGE OF BREAD GRAINS IS NOW PREDICTED

Ottawa.—An alarming shortage of bread grains is indicated in a summary issued by the International Institute branch of the Department of Agriculture, which provided with official information from the institutes from 15 out of 45 countries, but in advance of the receipt of complete official data made from reliable information on conditions and past periodical averages, a detailed forecast of the world's total yield of bread grains for 1924-25. A world decrease from the previous year of 775,000,000 bushels of wheat, and 128,000,000 bushels of rye is disclosed.

Europe shows a little more than one half of the total shortage, according to the summary, or 252,000,000 bushels.

In the grain year just ended the total net exports amount to the record figure of 815,000,000 bushels, of which \$25,000,000 are accounted for by the record imports to Europe and 190,000,000 bushels of unrecorded or ex-European imports.

Contrary to earlier expectations, the summary continues, the carry over into the new grain year in the chief exporting countries averages only 180,000,000 bushels. This quantity, added to the exportable surplus estimated from the crops of the new grain year, makes possible an absolute surplus of only about 830,000,000 bushels, against 1,000,000,000 bushels in the previous year, and therefore seems to indicate an altogether inadequate carry over, August 1, 1925. North America records 164,000,000 of the world's surplus, and the summary states, and yet this is the surplu market on which Europe must depend until the yet uncertain new crops in the southern hemisphere are harvested. If these do not repeat last year's record crops, the grain fear 1924-25 will witness an extraordinary scarcity of wheat in the face of an exceptional demand, the summary continues.

## Dutch Editors To Visit West

Prominent Representatives of Dutch Journalism to Make Tour of Investigation

Montreal.—At the invitation of E. W. Bruce, President of the Canadian Press Association, prominent Dutch journalists and a representative of the Netherlands Emigration League will make a tour of Western Canada to investigate conditions and make particular study of opportunities for Dutch settlers.

The party consists of M. G. Van der Brasse, of the Nieuw Rotterdam Courant; Baron Van Lamsweerde, representing the Catholic group; the Tyf; F. C. Nieuwen, of the leading Conservative paper; H. J. Bruisse, provincial press; and J. J. R. Riedmeyer, of the Nieuw Rotterdam Courant.

It is expected that a month will be spent on the tour, the visitors stopping at Niagara Falls to view the power plants there; at Toronto and at Port William and Port Arthur, where they will inspect elevators and terminals; and at Winnipeg, where they will meet Winnipeg newspaper men and visit the Grain Exchange, the Agricultural College and the Government Buildings. The University of Saskatchewan and Experimental Farm will be visited by the journalists when they enter the province, where they will inspect the facilities offered by the University of Alberta and see the experimental farms at Oda and Lacombe. They will also travel through the Okanagan Valley.

## Seed and Relief

Federal and Provincial Governments To Aid Settlers in Dry Areas

Winnipeg.—The Federal Government has agreed to divide with the Provincial Government the cost of providing seed and relief for those settlers in Alberta and Saskatchewan who have suffered heavy losses through drought, and failing to ward received by railway rates.

Special freight rates also will be granted settlers who intend moving to more favored localities. There are said to be several hundred settlers in Alberta requiring assistance.

Prince Wins Championships

Vancouver.—Gerrard bulls from the ranch of the Prince of Wales in Alberta won all the premier main awards at the exhibition held here last week, including the senior and junior bull championships and the grand and reserve grand championships.

The R.P. ranch herd sire, "King of the Princes," was the winner of the grand championship.

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## Canadians Are Labelled As Americans By Europeans

Ottawa.—Upon returning from a three months' trip in Europe, Mrs. N. C. Smith, Consulting Engineer for the Canadian National Council, deplored the brand label of "American" applied to Canadians in general. Since her return from Europe, Smith said, she had received the application to them abroad. Mrs. Smith expressed the hope that the time would come when the world would realize Canada's nationhood within the Empire and as a country apart from its closest neighbor, the United States.

## Developing New Wheat With Higher Yield

Type Grown at Alberta University

Edmonton.—A sample of what is almost ready to harvest is being shown by A. B. Agar, West Edmonton. This is from a small plot of the new variety, Marquis No. 222, which has been developed and distributed by the Canadian Department of Agriculture. The Department of Field Husbandry at the University of Alberta.

Although this wheat is scarcely yet at the experimental stage and only a very small plot is being grown, Mr. Agar is enthusiastic with regard to its prospects. It is fully ten days ahead of the regular Marquis wheat in the same field on the same day, and the kernels of the new wheat are bigger and more developed than those of the Marquis.

In addition to this it is stated that the heads of the new wheat contain 22,000,000 grains per bushel, as against 20,000,000 of the regular Marquis heads, and that the straw of the Marquis is heavier than that of the new wheat. This fact will enable the grain to fill to its utmost extent while the grain is in stock.

## Destruction Of Forests

Says Canada's Forest Areas Are Seriously Depleted By Fire

Toronto, Ont.—The result of fire, cutting and other destructive agencies, only 456,000 out of over a million and a quarter square miles of Canadian forest land is left in a merchantable state, according to the report of Roland D. Craig, of the Dominion Forestry Service, in a paper read before the agriculture section of the British association here.

One-third of the land area of Canada is essentially forest land, it was pointed out by Mr. Craig, and under poor management this area would be capable of producing several times the present requirements of the country but through fire and cutting it has been so reduced that only 456,000 square miles now carries timber of merchantable size.

## Would Help Foreigners To Find Comproisots

Suggestion That Directory of New Settlers Be Kept in the West

Saskatoon.—A directory of new Canadian communities in the west, to be kept on hand by employment offices in the west, has been suggested by Mr. Arthur Wilson, city health officer here. He points out that there have been cases this year of foreigners coming to Canada, unable to speak the language and without relatives or friends, who wandered about aimlessly until found compatriot and employment.

## Home Bank Case

Calgary.—It is generally felt, not only among Members of Parliament but among business generally in Eastern Canada, that the unanimous recognition by Parliament of the moral claim of the Home Bank depositors is as binding as a legal tie, said H. H. Haggithorn, who spent the last six months in Eastern Canada working in the interests of the central committee of the Home Bank depositors, and who returned to Calgary recently.

Potato Acreage Less

Ottawa.—Agriculture 332,400 acres of land are under cultivation in Canada for potatoes this year, as compared with 665,300 acres last year, in British Columbia, indications point to a lighter crop than last year.

In the prairie provinces, it is expected that the vegetable crop will be almost normal except in Alberta, where lower acreage and general dry weather will reduce the crop.

## Canada's Oil Production

Ottawa.—Production of crude petroleum in Canada in 1924 was 10,145 barrels, valued at \$252,618, as compared with 179,068 barrels at \$611,176 in the previous year, a decline of approximately 94 per cent.

## New Fleet Commander



SIR CHARLES MADDEN

who has just been appointed commander of the Fleet, a position which places him in command of the whole British navy.

## DECLARE MEETING OF SCIENTISTS BEST EVER HELD

Toronto.—What was termed by Sir David Bruce, President of the organization, to be the most successful gathering in the history of the British Association for the Advancement of Science, closed at Convention Hall before a distinguished assembly of scientists and mathematicians. Sir David said the meeting was called to the attention of the association in general for the warmth of their welcome and for their magnanimity.

The general assembly of the members was most fully expressed in the form of a resolution which stated the gratitude of the association to the government of the Dominion and the provinces of Ontario, the city of Toronto, and to private donors, for their generous contributions to the expenses of the meetings. Thanks were also returned in behalf of the members of the organization to the western provinces which have contributed towards the cost of the western excursion of the visitors, to the members of the faculty and staff of the University of Toronto, and to the various institutions which assisted the association during the meeting.

"The real business of this meeting is now concluded," said Sir David, "but the importance of the gathering and the cordiality of the welcome, fitting with the moment of change at Quebec, has been such that I feel it better to move from this chair to the final resolution."

Sir Robert Falconer replied on behalf of the University.

## Want Uniform Divorce Law

Ottawa.—An effort will be made by the baristers of Saskatchewan to secure a uniform divorce law for the province for the whole of Canada, according to J. E. Lusker, principal, Prince Albert, who was a visitor in the city.

## Soviets Are Banned

London.—The Swiss Government, it is announced by the legation here, has issued an order forbidding citizens of the Russian Soviet to enter the Swiss republic.

## SEEING THE ROCKIES IN COMFORT

New, state-of-the-art observation car, the "Rocky Mount," has been built for the Canadian National Railway for the comfort and convenience of passengers.

The car is heated by a vapor heating system, and windows in the body of the car extend to the roof, allowing clear vision to passengers while sitting or standing. Comfortable, roomy seats have been provided, which are upholstered with Spanish material.

## Jap Squadron Will Pay Visit To America

Victoria.—Definite word has been received here that the Japanese battleship squadron, consisting of the Kishimizu, Asama and Asama, will visit Victoria, Seattle, San Francisco and other United States ports during the winter. The squadron will leave Japan early in December, following the annual fleet maneuvers. Prince Takamatsu, third son of the present Emperor and younger brother of the Prince Regent, is aboard one of the battle cruisers, training for the post of admiral in succession to Prince Arima, uncle of the present Emperor.

## Chinese Flood Victims Number Fifty Thousand

Millions Homeless and Thousands of Villages Submerged

Shanghai.—Millions have been rendered homeless and at least 50,000 persons have been drowned in devastating floods which are sweeping widespread areas of China, submerging tens of thousands of villages. Thousands of refugees are pouring into Peking. It is impossible to get even an approximate estimate of the fatalities but 50,000 is said to be a conservative estimate.

Usually devastating floods with accompanying widespread destruction of property, have been reported from various sections of China during the last few weeks. Late in July there were serious inundations in the province of Chihli and Hunan. On Saturday further floods were reported from Kwangsi and Shikang, but it was reported that the loss of life had been up until that time comparatively small.

## No Steps Taken To Secure Elevators

Alberta Wheat Pool Officials Not Yet Decided On Course of Action

Calgary.—No definite action was taken by the Board of Directors of the Alberta Wheat Pool at the recent meeting of the board with regard to securing elevator facilities for the new crop of wheat. It is reported that the board was considering the building of elevators. "Nothing definite has been taken," he said, "and in the meantime the directors may develop some course of action depending on the course of conditions."

## Make War On Rum Fleet

Philadelphia.—Twenty destroyers of world war type, some with German submarines to their credit, two mine sweepers and 800 motor craft, together, are being trimmed up here in readiness for a campaign to sweep the rum fleet off the Atlantic.

The hour comes for them to start out, they will establish an armed barrier along the coast against the illegal traffic in liquor, narcotics and aliens.

## Predicts Larger Crop

Toronto.—Sir Augustus Norton, new president of the Dominion Bank, believes that the crop of wheat in this year will be near 200,000,000 bushels than 252,000,000, as estimated by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. He also added that it has cost the western farmer less to plant and grow his crop this year and that he is going to get almost double the price.

## Attribute Trouble In Sudan To Conspiracy

White Flag Society Said To Be Aiming To Oust British

London.—A dispatch from Cairo says that according to the local press the Egyptian Government has decided to recall to Egypt the railway battalion which caused the disturbance in Sudan newspapers.

London newspapers make a big display of the disturbances in the Sudan which they attribute to a conspiracy by interested persons in Egypt aiming to oust the British from the Sudan and establish Egyptian rule over it. Attention to this end has been in progress for some months, the main organizers being, it is said, the White Flag Society of Cairo.

It is recalled that the Egyptian Premier, Zaki Pasha, told the chamber in June that Egypt would insist upon complete evacuation of the Sudan by Great Britain, and afterward the British government announced in parliament that the British on no account would renounce their responsibilities to the Sudan and the Sudanese.

The editorial writers, while not believing that the present trouble will have serious consequences, foresee a possible negotiable delay in the Egyptian problem and even a conceivable cancellation of the pending negotiations with Zaki Pasha. Editors of the Sudanese press strongly support the Government in its Sudanese policy.

## Chinese Women Entering Trade

Thirty Taking Positions As Clerks In Peking Savings Bank

Peking.—Thirty girl students have graduated from a "school of banking" established by the Peking Savings Bank and will be appointed to posts as clerks and officers in the Peking Bank. The school was founded by the Chinese women in Shanghai to fund a bank. The Peking women's bank is in Peking, but it is proposed to start it with \$1,000,000 and to be ready for business next spring.

In an address to the graduates Mrs. W. W. Newcombe, Deputy Minister of Justice, said that Chinese women should interest themselves in business in order that they might not be behind their western sisters. By cultivating an earning capacity, she said, educated girls may not only help their parents against their will, but they will help their country.

Mrs. Haining Hine, wife of an ex-ambassador, is said to be a patroness of the new banking enterprise.

## NAVAL DEFENCE VITAL QUESTION FOR DOMINION

Halifax, N.S.—Canadians were told that the word "Canada" to sing, if the Dominion did not take measures for its naval defence, by Captain Henry W. Parker, C.B., senior officer of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

The speaker's warning followed the singing of patriotic songs at the opening of the luncheon and after Major General Thackeray, general officer commanding Halifax district, had sounded a similar declaration.

Captain Parker, in H.M.S. Republic, captain of the navy generally. He entered the navy to the man with the big ship. Despite the protective quality of the word "Canada," he believed the navy still had its place.

The navy had been referred to as insurance of the Empire. "Your Minister of Defence has said," said Captain Parker, "that the navy was the best form of insurance. I wonder how many times he has said that before, and I wonder what he is going to do about it; that is not my business, it is yours."

The speaker then predicted that if something were not done the day would come when there would be no "Canada" to sing. He emphasized the importance of constant survey and review of lines of communication between the various Dominions, and said that in case of war it was most important that convoys should pass in and out of Halifax and be given absolute protection.

Captain Parker said that, due to conditions of the disarmament conference at Washington, the world would not be able to send ships over to do this work. If the trouble was in the East, it would be many months before warships could be sent to the West, and he hoped to have none. All Dominions were faced with this problem, said Captain Parker, and the big question was what was to be done about it.

## PUBLIC SERVICE POSTS WAITING TO BE FILLED

Ottawa.—Four large positions in the public service of Canada have been created by the Public Service Commission, and appointments to fill them are awaited with interest. There is the position of chief justice of the Supreme Court of Canada, the chairmanship of the Railway Commission, and two Quebec seats, one of which is the position of chief justice of the Quebec court, which is evidently being kept in store for him, while Senator Bolduc's passing provides a suitable opportunity for it. It is expected that the appointments will be made by the end of the year.

The filling of these vacancies will have a bearing, partly at least, on the Dominion political situation. It is pretty well understood that Hon. Charles Durrant is slated for one of the Quebec seats, which is evidently being kept in store for him, while Senator Bolduc's passing provides a suitable opportunity for it. It is expected that the appointments will be made by the end of the year.

There are evidences of a scramble by provinces, rather than particular individuals, for the vacancy at the head of the Railway Commission due to Hon. F. B. Carroll's death. British Columbia wants representation, Saskatchewan likewise, while the Maritime provinces want to have what they had, and by a by-election coming on in New Brunswick, the Maritime provinces will have to have time to size up the case, and, in any event, it is a legal question that ultimately will go to the Supreme Court. Whatever construction the commission puts on it will inevitably be appealed by one side or the other.

From suggestions of the suggestion of Chief Justice Mathers, and from Saskatchewan, Mr. Justice Lacombe. Another formidable candidate is H. L. Newcombe, Deputy Minister of Justice. If the principle of promotion is established, Justice Lacombe will be made chief justice next year, at the end of which he would retire.

## Proposals Drafted By Opinion Commission

Will Secure Accurate Figures Of Country's Output

Ottawa.—The League of Nations permanent opinion commission has compromised on the divergent views of the various countries represented and drafted a single convention for submission to the international opinion commission in November. The measure will strengthen the League convention and obligate signatories to furnish yearly estimates of the quantities of various commodities, minerals, and coal and coke needed for medical and scientific purposes and for manufacturers and commerce. It would establish a central board to control international traffic and the drug evil.

## Will Entertain Prince

Locust Valley, N.Y.—The Prince of Wales, who is soon to make a short visit to the U.S. will be the guest of the Piping Rock Polo Club at a dinner on Sept. 1, it is learned here. The officers of the board of governors of the club will be hosts to 120 guests, including members of the British embassy and the polo team, which is to play for the international trophy.

## Treasurer of Wheat Pool

Regina.—J. D. Reid, chief accountant and office manager for the North-Western Wheat Pool, has been appointed treasurer of the Saskatchewan wheat pool organization. It was announced that Mr. Reid has arrived here and is to start in on his new duties immediately. He has been with the Winnipeg company a number of years.

## B.C. Salmon Pack

Victoria, B.C.—British Columbia's salmon pack last year totalled 1,141,677 cases, against 1,250,325 cases in 1922. The gain in the 1923 pack is due to a substantial increase in the pink and chum salmon, 78 per cent of the total output consisting of these two species.

## Isolate Scarlet Fever Germ

Chicago, Ill.—After 12 years of research work, Doctors George P. Heck and John H. Henshaw, have isolated the bacillus long thought to have been the causative agent of scarlet fever. They have named it "Streptococcus Hemolyticus."

— A man's temper is apt to improve the more he doesn't use it.

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Each person who rides in a passenger coach means more than two tons of weight for the railroad to transport. This calculation is based on seating capacity and the weight of cars.

"I have no desire to discuss the Canadian naval policy," the Admiral said smilingly, when questioned on this subject. "I am only a sailor man and know nothing of politics, but of the things upon which we Britons pride ourselves: is freedom of government, living and speech, and

Science cannot be applied to the creating of big organizations for the handling of farm commodities without at the same time bringing market materials to a high standard of quality. What the farmer needs is science in production as well as science in marketing.

via Canadian seaports show considerable improvement for the ten months ended June 30, 1924, compared with the same ten months of 1923 and 1922. The proportion of the total export of wheat to overseas countries going through Canadian seaports in 1922 was 2 per cent.; in 1923, 25 per cent., and in 1924, 45 per cent.

Here is a photograph of "Bonzo," the world-renowned pet of the Nery, who saw "Bonzo" Junior off to Canada on the Canadian Pacific to "Montreal," which sailed from Glasgow. The picture shows "Bonzo" charge of a stalwart A.B.

## Considerable Expansion Is Shown In Sheep Industry Both In Eastern And Western Canada

The sheep industry in Canada made considerable expansion during the '30's years. There was some decrease during the years 1931, 1932 and 1933, but the good prices which were obtained for lambs and the upward trend in wool prices has again stabilized the industry and the present tendency is to increase rather than decrease the size of flocks.

The estimated wool production of the Dominion for 1933 was 15,528,116 pounds. Of this amount from 10,000,000 to 12,000,000 pounds passes through the regular trade channels and is sold either to Canadian mills or is exported. The balance of the wool clip is worked up locally by farmers, spinning up into yarn, for socks, mitts, underwear, sweaters and other articles of apparel.

The sheep resources of Canada are more or less unlimited in that the abundance of waste lands in most of the provinces admirably suited for sheep raising. Furthermore, there are many farms, particularly in Western Canada, that as yet are carrying no sheep. The climate and natural topography of the country is admirably suited to the raising of sheep. In Eastern Canada on mixed farm lands and in the grain belt of Western Canada the small flock of ten to fifty ewes is generally kept. These flocks can be maintained at little expense and on excellent economies, and the labor required and money invested is small. In the rougher part of Eastern Canada and in some districts of Manitoba larger flocks of from one to several hundred head are kept under semi-ranching conditions often by new owners who may have had original minors or balancers. These are still available many areas suitable for the carrying of flocks of this size.

In Southwestern Saskatchewan and parts of Northern Alberta, and in British Columbia, sheep raising is practiced on a large scale and in these provinces there are tracts of land available for ranching or semi-ranching purposes.

Wool producers from Canadian sheep, both in the east and in the west, is of a very high quality for each respective grade. Eastern wools are all produced from the domestic breeds of sheep. They are very strong of fibre and bright in character. The wools are medium combing and low medium combing with some fine medium combing and reasonable quantities of softening and coarse. Eastern domestic wools have excellent felting qualities and are well adapted for the manufacture of medium and heavy weight goods, including serges and tweeds, rugs, blankets, western and outdoor wear.

In Western Canada the percentage of domestic wool is steadily increasing. There is also a probability that the amount of range wools available has increased considerably in the next few years. Western domestic wools are of the same quality as eastern wools although they probably run more to the finer grades. The nature of the soil and the openness of the country tends to the production of a heavier shirting wool. Soil-drifting also detracts from the brightness of the fleece and on this account grade of western wool are subdivided into bright, semi-bright and dark. Wool produced from Western Canada ranges sheep compares favorably with wool produced on other range areas of the world. The bulk of the range wool runs to the fine, fine medium combing and medium combing grades.

Wool grading, which was first instituted by the Dominion Livestock Branch in 1912, has done much to improve the market qualities of Canadian wool. About twelve thousand head of ewes now come to the market for grading and co-operative sales. This constitutes about one-quarter of the sheep raised. The growers have their own marketing agency, the Canadian Co-operative Wool Growers' Ltd. This organization is an affiliate of some thirty wool co-operatives, associations and handles all the co-operative shipments consigned for government grading.

As a result of grading Canadian wools are now purchased freely on a graded basis in the United States and Great Britain as well as in Canadian mills. The more general use of pure-bred rams is steadily increasing the percentage of the higher grades and having in mind the present strong demand for breeding ewes, it is confidently expected that wool production will materially increase during the next few years.

Few of wool is not due to direct selection or the actual culling of the elements, but is always the result of the activity of low quality of plant which feed upon the wool and destroy it.

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## The Dual Shortorns Herd At Brandon

First To Be Declared Free From Tuberculosis and Officially Accredited

The cattle herd at the Brandon, Manitoba, Experimental Farm, consists of dual purpose Shortorns, the foundation stock having been imported from England about twenty years ago. Since that time the milk-producing qualities have been further developed and the herd has been improved from the standpoint of uniformity of type. When introducing new stock, care has been taken to obtain animals of good individual type and descended from good milk-producing ancestors. Poor females have been removed from time to time, until the present herd has reached a high state of excellence from the standpoint of both beef and milk production. This herd was one of the first to be declared free from tuberculosis and officially accredited.

Last year the milking herd numbered twelve head, ranging in age from 2 to 9 years. During the lactation periods, extending from 1927 to 1932, the yield of milk ranged from 2,292 to 7,599 pounds, showing an average percentage of butterfat varying from 3.2 to 4.2 per cent. Culling the herd at \$1 per ton for sale, \$3 per ton for fat, and 10¢ per pound for milk used, the cost per hundred pounds of milk varied from 32¢ to 52¢. The new 16-year-old, that produced only 2,292 pounds of milk, showed a loss of \$2.46 for the year. Whereas all the other members of the milk herd made a profit ranging from \$120.00 up to \$62.84 per head.

The rations given the cows consisted of pasture during the summer supplemented by a total ration fed in direct proportion to the amount of milk given by each animal. The total ration used consisted of equal parts of oat chaff and bran. One pound of 10% mixture was fed for every 2½ pounds of milk given. During the winter months the cows received as roughage, not less than 10 lbs. of alfalfa hay, corn and sunflower seeds and mangels. The feed is prepared by mixing the chaff and cut straw together and feeding it twice a day, morning and evening. The total ration is fed at the same time. Rations are fed just before noon and at 4 p.m. alfalfa hay, corn and sunflower seeds and mangels. The feed is prepared by mixing the chaff and cut straw together and feeding it twice a day, morning and evening. The total ration is fed at the same time. Rations are fed just before noon and at 4 p.m.

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## Dip the Sheep In the Fall

Fall Dipping Just As Important As Spring Dipping

Sheep should be dipped at least once a year, and two dipplings in the spring and another in the fall, are advisable. Fall dipping is just as important as spring dipping, but, says the Dominion Livestock Branch, it is often neglected owing to the fact that there is more difficulty to see, and farmers are led to think that none are present. A few ticks in the fall will multiply many times before spring. September or October are the best months for dipping, as the weather is usually cool, the ticks should be gone for a night or two until the fleeces dry out. The hardest ticks that while sheep have sheep ticks, should not exceed three cents per head, the saving in feed and wool may easily amount to 50 cents per head to \$1.50 per ewe.

## Had Railroad Laws Before Railways

Ancient Act Recently Unearthed in Archives in Florida

The far-sightedness of Florida's legislators of the nineteenth century is disclosed in an old law tucked in the archives of the state capital at Tallahassee. It is an act which became effective in January, 1853, and provided heavy penalties for employees of railroads found guilty of being intoxicated while in the performance of their duty.

At the time of its enactment there were no railroads in Florida. The act, however, imposed upon the general assembly the duty of ascertaining the proper objects of improvements in relation to railroads, canals and navigable streams; and the prevention of the lawless acts that have had that liquor and locomotives would not make for public safety.

**Boys From British Isles**  
Fifty more boys of all ages of the British Isles arrived at Brandon recently under the auspices of the Salvation Army and were placed on farms. This is the third party under the Salvation Army Immigration scheme to arrive at Brandon. The first two aggregating some two hundred boys, nearly all of whom are now settled on farms in the neighborhood.

**Claine World's Record**  
A world's record for his senior two-year-old Holstein Friesian herd will belong to Peter, owned by Mr. M. W. Foster, Williamsburg, as the result of a 30-day test showing production of 7,585 pounds of milk and 115.52 pounds butterfat equivalent to 142.5 pounds of butter.

Harrowing a man's feelings won't help herd culling his friendliness.

## TRAIN RADIO OPERATOR

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**Long Fish in London Zoo**

Southern Sudan Specimen Arrived in  
Africa of Sun-baked Mud  
An African Long Fish has just been  
installed in the London Zoo aquarium,  
where the three kinds of Long Fish—  
African, South American and Australian—  
are now represented.

Mating pairs of their air-bladder as  
lungs, these fish bear many resemblances  
to the batrachians (frogs,  
toads and salamanders).

It is believed that the ancestral long  
fishes breathed by gills alone, but  
that the modern descendants are not de-  
pendent on the gills to breathe. It is  
supposed, but true fishes which have  
learned to adapt themselves to the  
exigencies of life.

In the museum, pools inhabited by  
the Australian lung fish the water at  
times becomes so foul that it is almost  
impossible for the gills to take in  
oxygen, and it is then that the fish rise  
to the surface and gulp down atmo-  
spheric air and thus make use of its  
oxygen.

The South American and African  
lung fish have "gone one better" than  
this, for when the marshes dry up they  
bury in the sand, and there they re-  
main until the rainy season returns.

In the case of the African species, a  
large quantity of mucus is exuded from  
the body, which, mixing with the mud,  
forms a hard cocoon, the fish taking  
care that a small passage is left so  
that air may reach it.

The Zoo specimen, arrived from  
Southern Sudan, lived, literally, by  
the skin of its teeth. It was a case of  
sun-baked mud—which, when dis-  
solved in tepid water, revealed the  
"sleeping beauty" within.

At first the awakened fish was very  
sluggish, but it soon gathered its ac-  
tivity together, and is now oc-  
cupying a large tank in the Tropical  
House.

**Colony of Crippled Ducks**  
A large flock of ducks has been  
discovered in California. According  
to announcement of the state fish  
and game commission, thousands of  
ducks, crippled by hanters, have been  
found in the sloughs of Victoria Island in  
the delta of the San Joaquin River.

The crippled, unable to stand, are  
helped by the able-bodied, have fallen blind  
and gradually formed a colony, where  
they obtain food by co-operative ef-  
forts. An examination of the ducks  
at the island failed to reveal one not  
crippled, according to the game com-  
mission.

**Made It Hard For Her**  
"No you don't like working for high-  
priced men, and never again! Him and  
her was fighting continually, and it  
kept me running back and forth be-  
tween the kitchen and the dictionary  
all the time."

The orange originally was a pear-  
shaped fruit about the size of a  
cherry. Its evolution is due to 3,500  
years of cultivation.

**FOR**  
**"CHOLERA INFANTUM"**  
**THE FATAL DISEASE**  
**OF CHILDREN**  
**MOTHERS SHOULD USE**

**Strength Of The Maritans**  
Interesting Speculations As To  
Conditions On The Planet Mars

The vast interstellar system of planets  
which encompasses the planet Mars  
and which evidently serves to connect  
the cases with the poles can serve but  
one purpose, according to the late  
Professor Percival Lowell, Mars is a  
desert. If it is inhabited, the melting  
polar sea, the only supply of water  
on Mars, would evaporate, these regions still cap-  
able of bearing vegetation. Only a  
canal system conceived and constructed  
on a scale which dwarfs any such  
work of irrigation devices ever dug on  
this earth can save an intelligent Mar-  
tian race from extinction. An inquiry  
into Mars that has calculated that it  
would require about four thousand  
times the horsepower of Niagara to  
pump water through this vast system  
of planetary ditches. Pumping is  
necessary because water can do more  
work up hill from the poles to the equator  
on Mars than it can on the earth.

Suppose that we adopt Lowell's  
starring conviction. What manner  
of beings are these Martian  
diggers? We can make a few deduc-  
tions from the mere size of the planet:  
For important consequences follow  
from the relatively small size of  
Mars—one-ninth that of the earth.  
The attraction of gravitation must be  
one-ninth that of the earth. What  
weight a man on Mars would weigh but  
a third as much on Mars. Paradoxical  
as it may seem, the smaller the  
planet the larger and spierer the beings  
be it people and the taller its grasses  
and trees. A Martian weighs only a  
man, but he would be as weak as a  
man. If he is man-like he must be  
three times as tall, three times as  
bulky, and correspondingly more effi-  
cient in his muscles and more efficient  
in his mind. Because of his greater stature  
and bulk he must have muscles twenty-  
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Not only is he strong, if he is like  
a man, but vastly more intelligent.  
Evolution surely awards Mars a  
more intelligent race. Mars being  
polar, the beings of the earth, it  
must have developed a high type of  
intelligence long before the dinosaurs  
became extinct or even man appeared.  
Probably far civilization is  
but a crude manifestation from the  
Marian standpoint. — Waldemar  
Kaemppfer, In The Forum.

**Says Gorillas Almost Human**  
Killing Them Seems Aids To Murder  
Says T. A. Barns

An editorial in the New York Times  
intimates that the gorilla, the king of  
the beasts, is in danger of becoming  
extinct and suggests the desirability  
of protecting it from destruction.  
In the case of the gorilla, it shows in  
many ways more favorable light than is  
usual. The editorial quotes from a  
statement by T. A. Barns, a collector  
for the British Museum, who says  
that "when hunting these apes one  
with a spark of feeling can free him-  
self from the thought that killing them  
is a crime. Mr. Akeley told: 'I would  
have come to my arms for comfort.'"

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Say "Bayer Aspirin"  
INSIST! Unless you see the  
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the U. S. Patent Office. Bayer is the  
manufacturer of Bayer Aspirin.

**Koreans Hinder Trains**  
Walk On Tracks And Do Not Hes-  
itate Warning Whistles

Korean interference with the railways,  
resulting in frequent accidents and ob-  
struction of traffic, has been a source  
of trouble to the railway authorities.  
Japanese-built and owned, Chinese  
railways. A campaign of propaganda  
to teach the Koreans not to walk or  
stand on the tracks has been started.

The railway authorities estimate  
that at least 600 trains a year are  
stopped by the Koreans on the tracks.  
The track do not heed the warning  
whistles. There have been instances  
in which Koreans, particularly on  
the Seoul-Pusan line, have walked  
on the tracks, using the rails for pillows,  
with fatal results. In some such  
cases, the friends of the victims have  
charged the railway with negligence,  
and have destroyed sections of  
track in revenge.

**SUMMER HEAT  
HARD ON BABY**  
No season of the year is so danger-  
ous to the life of little ones as the  
summer. The excessive heat throws  
the little stomach out of order, so  
quickly that unless prompt aid is at-  
tended the baby may be beyond all  
human help before the mother realizes  
the danger. It is the season when  
diarrhoea, cholera infantum, dysentery  
and colic are most prevalent. Any  
one of these troubles may be deadly  
if it is not promptly treated. During  
the summer months, therefore, it is  
very important that the baby be kept  
healthy. The Tablets are  
sold by medicine-dealers or by mail at  
25 cents a box from "The Williams"  
Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

**Growth of Alberta**  
Although it is only thirteen years  
ago that Alberta became a province,  
its population has increased four-fold,  
while the grain yield has increased  
eight-fold. The total agricultural  
products of Alberta in 1923 were worth  
\$22,000,000.

**Briefly Described**  
"Do you know what a hat is, dear?"  
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## The Mirror Journal

All copy for change of Advertisement must be in office by Monday noon to guarantee alteration.

W. J. GOOD, Publisher

Varianableness of the weather conditions at the present time in Alberta, make any really definite statement on crop conditions almost impossible. Since the last report, issued two weeks ago, unusually heavy rainfall has occurred in almost every district of the province, accompanied by low dips in temperature. Though this precipitation was from three weeks to a month late, and cannot change the general situation with respect to grain crops to

any considerable extent, some improvement has been shown in summer-fall crops, and in districts where the damage from drought had not been too great. With favorable weather conditions from now until harvest, many districts should harvest an average crop where prospects were not so bright a fortnight ago. Throughout the greater portion of the east-central and southern districts, however, the rain has come too late to revive the grain, and the yields will be very low.

The most notable improvement from the late rains has been in the feed situation, and there is prospect of fairly heavy yields of greenfeed in many districts. The first cutting of alfalfa on the irrigated lands in the south produced one of the best crops ever harvested, the yield averaging about one and a half tons to the acre. The second crop is almost ready for cutting.

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### Birth

SUTLEY.—In Borenee, Alberta, on Friday, August 15, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Sutley, a daughter (Allie Avis).

### WARNING

Take notice that Postery running at large and found on my premises will be disposed of according to the Village By-law.

G. J. ESTELA, Mirror P.O.

## The Tailor Shop

Mirror, Alberta

## THE COMMUNITY SALE IS

# Postponed

Owing to unforeseen circumstances the Community Sale arranged for Mirror for Saturday, August 16th, has been postponed until a later date.

Watch for announcement.

HARRY LYNN AUCTIONEER

## Mirror Billiard Parlor

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American Pool Tables.

Fresh Stock of Cigars, Tobaccos and Cigarettes.

Candies and Soft Drinks.

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Mirror, Alberta

## Mirror and the District

### Lots of rain.

Mrs. S. Rowan and son are Calgary visitors this week.

Mrs. Thos. Stranaka and children are visiting in Dinan, with the former's mother.

Mrs. L. D. Norton, of Calgary, was a week-end visitor with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morrison.

Mrs. H. G. Williams and children returned on Saturday from a six weeks' holiday at Bonner's Ferry, Idaho.

L. D. Butcher, of Olive, will conduct services in St. Monica's Church, Mirror, on Sunday afternoon, August 24th, at three o'clock.

Mrs. R. L. Brette and her son Bennett, of Eskine, also George Mudd, of Yorkshire, England, were week-end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Craven.

A number of complaints have been lodged regarding the disturbances made by certain of our local youths on Lake street at nights. This is intended for a tip.

NOTICE.—Commencing September 1st, next, and until further notice, bread will be retailed by the undersigned at 9 loaves for \$1.00. JAYNES BAKERY, Mirror. 36-2

Thursday evening of this week at 8 o'clock in the Union Church, G. G. Webber, of Clara, will speak in the Intercession of the Dominion of Lords Day Alliance. All invited.

LATES! Don't fail to see the Demonstration of Sewing Machine (New Attachment)—"Bender's Guide" and "Bender's Prospect" were not so bright a fortnight ago. Throughout the greater portion of the east-central and southern districts, however, the rain has come too late to revive the grain, and the yields will be very low.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Purcell, George, A. J. Ray, D. M. Jew, N. J. Doreaux, Norman Spice and Harry Ford, of Mirror, and R. G. Lowe, of Alix, returned to Edmonton today (Wednesday) to see the doubleheader in the "Little World Series."

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Common and family returned on Sunday evening from an enjoyable two weeks' motor trip over the Banff-Windermere trail and as far as Cranbrook. They met Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Murray, of Big Valley, who were also making the trip while on route.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Mathers, of Trochu, are mourning the loss of their two-year-old daughter, Marion, whose death occurred on Thursday of last week after a very brief illness. The remains were brought to Mirror on Friday, the funeral being held from the Union Church the same afternoon. A. E. Night, of Mirror, assisted by Rev. J. Mahon, officiated. After the services, interment was held in the Mirror cemetery. Much sympathy is tendered to Mr. and Mrs. Mathers, who were former residents of Mirror.

### Poor haying weather.

Miss Margaret McLean is visiting in Edmonton.

T. W. McBride, of Holdfast, Sask., is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. Boring, a longer on his way to the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McClelland returned Thursday of last week from a two weeks' holiday at Tacoma, Wash.

Mrs. J. J. Cairns, Bobby, Isabelle and John, returned last Saturday from a month's holiday at Vancouver.

M. Ebert Howe, Registered Optometrist and OPTICIAN, will make his next regular visit to Mirror, at the Imperial Hotel, on Wed., August 27th. 34

A. R. Hopkins is a business visitor in Edmonton this week. He is considering a longer on some government road work on the Calgary-Edmonton trail.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Watson, of Leo, were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Bowley, from Friday until Tuesday. Mr. Watson is a brother of Mrs. Bowley's.

Mrs. J. Barber and daughter, Marie, two sons, Jackie, left on Saturday for their home at Hanna, after a visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stewart. 34

The Women's Guild of St. Monica's Church will meet at the home of Mrs. J. P. Webster, in Thursday evening, August 21st. Mrs. H. A. Chapman will be the hostess.

DR. R. A. McCORMACK, Dentist, will be at Alix, Monday, August 19th, at noon. On Wednesday, August 20th; and at Mirror from Thursday, August 21st, to Saturday, August 23rd, 11 noon. 34

Miss Lucille Brewster, of Edmonton, is spending a two weeks' vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Brewster. Miss Elizabeth Carver and her brother, Lindsay, of Edmonton, are also visiting at the Brewster home.

A JUMBLE SALE will be held at the library building on Saturday afternoon, August 23rd. Sale to commence at 3 o'clock. All doors will be open at 2 o'clock. All donations will be gratefully received by the Committee. 36-1

Mrs. Thos. Rider and daughter, Agnes, of Parksville, Vancouver Island, B.C., are visiting with relatives in the district. It is over five years since Mrs. Rider moved from their farm on the shore of Buffalo lake, east of Mirror, to the home of Mr. Rider had at that time one of the best vegetable gardens in Alberta, and the fame of his products had spread to points outside the province. He also had a nice strawberry patch!

### Good News

Congratulations are extended to the following Mirror pupils who were successful in passing the various examinations held prior to the summer holidays:

Grade X.—Florence Annesley, Edna Brewster, Mary Connors.

Grade IX.—Ruth MacLaren, Charles Marshall, Janet Oldridge.

Grade VIII.—Jack Annesley, Emma Durrant, Mervyn Holdich, James Holditch, Harriett Jewell, Beulah Marshall, George O'Brien, Ernie Common.

The Mirror trusts that those who were unable to make the required marks this year, will meet with better success next time.

### Should Say Not

An Irish hod carrier, at work on a new job, lost his way among the floors of the skyscraper and couldn't get down to the ground.

While he wandered about, the voice of the foreman floated up from below, calling angrily for Pat.

"I can't find the way down," called Pat.

"Come down the same way you went up," shouted the irate foreman. "Go! and I'll not," said Pat. "I came up head first."

### Wheat Pool A Success

Selling for its members a total of 34,192,805 bushels of wheat during its first season's operations, the Alberta Wheat Pool realized an average price of approximately 103 cents a bushel, based No. One Northern P. L. William, on wheat consigned to the Pool. After deducting two-fifths of a cent per bushel to cover all costs of administration, and after making adjustments for the lower grades, which sold for a higher average price than was provided for in the spread at the beginning of the season, a net price of 101.66 remained to the members, and of this, 101 cents a bushel, No. 1 Northern, basis Fort William, is being paid to the members, the balance being retained in commercial reserve. The commercial reserve, set aside, after making the final payments will be considerably more than a quarter of a million dollars. This will be held to the credit of the growers in their reserve account.

The commercial reserve set aside is in fact a large fraction of one cent per bushel on all wheat handled. Had no reserve been set aside, the final price would have been increased by the amount. The final payment on One and Two Northern is 16 cents in each grade. No. 1 is 18 cents; No. 2 is 16 cents; and on One and Two Northern, while it runs to 22 cents on certain tough grades. These differences are due to the fact that spread of arable character were set aside at the beginning of the season in making the initial payment.

For instance, the Pool management set the initial price of No. 1 at 18 cents under One Northern, whereas the Pool's average sales turned out to be only 16 cents under One Northern. A farmer who delivered No. 1 is therefore entitled to 2 cents per bushel which he did not receive at the time of the initial payment.

The total sum distributed to members in respect to sales for the 1923 crop, for the period ending July 15th, when the last deliveries were received for the Pool of the 1923 crop year, will be \$37,493,475.78. The amount of the final payment is \$4,555,092.38.

These net results of the season's operations were revealed at the annual meeting of the Alberta Co-operative Wheat Producers, Ltd., on August 5th, 6th and 7th, when delegates from seven Wheat Pool Districts into which the province is divided assembled in the city of Calgary, to receive reports of the year's operations, transact necessary business and elect the directors for the new 1924 year. The annual meeting expressed complete confidence in the directors who have been elected for the first season's business, and they were re-elected as follows: Red Deer, B. V. Wood; Calgary, O. L. McPherson, M. A. J. North; Calgary, R. N. Clanges; Calgary, Ben Plummer; Edmonton, W. J. Mackman; Camrose, Lew Hutchison; Lethbridge, C. C. Jensen. Delegates on the floor of the convention, declared their gratification in the success achieved, the results of the first season having much exceeded the anticipations of members.

It was estimated that at least \$2,000,000 had been added to the receipts of the members for wheat delivered to the Pool, as compared with the average received for wheat which have been obtained had the members sold through the old channels of trade during the period of the Pool's operations.—The U.F.A.

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Prompt Attention and First-Class Workmanship on All Orders

Guns Repaired

J. Decker, Mirror

HARNESS REPAIRER

Hall Block North of Imperial Hotel

### LAUNDRY

GIVE US A TRIAL GOOD WORK

YEE SAM, Prop. - Mirror

### Alberta Cafe

Ice Cream, Soft Drinks

Fruits, Confectionery

Cigars, Tobaccos

Regular Meals and Short Orders.

Tom Wing - Prop.

MIRROR

### ANCIENT LANDMARK

LODGE, 109, A.F. & A.M.

MIRROR, ALBERTA

Regular Meeting on the First Wednesday Evening in Month—

at 8.00 o'clock, sharp

A Welcome to Visiting Brethren

### BON-TON

Livery, Feed and Sale

STABLE

Draying

Coal and Wood

A. J. RAY, MIRROR

### GRAIN MARKETS

The following are the grain prices as supplied by the Gillespie Elevator Co. at Lamerton. Prices subject to change without notice.

### WHEAT

No. 1 Northern..... \$1.24  
No. 2 "..... 1.21  
No. 3 "..... 1.17  
No. 4 "..... 1.11  
No. 5 "..... 1.01

### OATS

2 C W..... 46  
3 C W..... 43  
No. 1 feed..... 42

### BARLEY

No. 3..... 42  
No. 4..... 41  
Feed..... 37

### RYE

2 C W..... 67

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